

SENATE RESOLUTION 122

By Bailey

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Elise Dille, the 2016 TSSAA Girls Wrestling 125-pound weight class champion.

WHEREAS, the members of this legislative body are pleased to specially honor and commend those successful high school athletes who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such exemplary athlete is wrestler Elise Dille of Cumberland County High School; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Dille recently won the TSSAA Girls Wrestling Championship in the 125-pound weight class by besting all competition; and

WHEREAS, one of the most demanding sports, wrestling is also one of the oldest sporting competitions, tracing its roots to the ancient Greeks and the earliest Olympic games; and

WHEREAS, voted "most athletic" by her peers, Elise Dille has competed in varsity wrestling for three years and maintained a 52-5 overall record. In addition, she has also served as a cheerleader for two years and played soccer; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Dille displayed the strength, agility, tenacity, and perseverance of a true champion and represented her school and the State of Tennessee in fine fashion, displaying peerless character both on and off the wrestling mat; and

WHEREAS, Elise Dille has etched her name in the annals of Tennessee sports history; her dedication, determination, work ethic, and talent not only made possible a championship, but also surely point toward her success in future endeavors; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and congratulate Elise Dille upon

winning the 2016 TSSAA Girls Wrestling Championship in the 125-pound weight class and extend to her our best wishes for much continued success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.